



Docket No. 55218-0507 (P9222NP)

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In re Application of	:	Confirmation No.: 5951
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Mark Gray	:	Group Art Unit: 2152
	:	
Serial No.: 09/835,059	:	Examiner: Ramsey Refai
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Filed: April 13, 2001	:	
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR	:	
DETERMINING INTERCONNECTIONS	:	
OF NETWORK DEVICES	:	

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed **August 19, 2005**, the shortened statutory period for which ran until **November 19, 2005**, and for which a one-month extension of time is hereby requested until **December 19, 2005**, payment for which is enclosed.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

There are no Specification Amendments.

There are no Drawings Amendments.

Claim Amendments and Remarks are presented on separate sheets as indicated below:

- Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2.
- Remarks begin at page 17.

The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the application in light of the remarks after entry of the amendments.

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